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# Site Reassessment Other Cleanup Authority

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Site Reassessment –  
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**for:**

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Oswego, Illinois  
LD984839159**

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## **Section 1.0 Introduction**

On May 8, 2009, the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency's (Illinois EPA) Office of Site Evaluation was tasked by the United States Environmental Protection Agency (U.S. EPA) Region V to conduct a Site Reassessment at the Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve (also known as Saw-wee-kee Park) site in Oswego, Kendall County, Illinois. The Site Reassessment is performed under the authority of the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation, and Liability Act (CERCLA) commonly known as Superfund.

Current U.S. EPA policy stipulates that a Site Reassessment be conducted to determine the current status of the Saw-wee-kee Park site. The Site Reassessment will consist of an evaluation of recent information to determine if further Superfund investigations are warranted. The Site Reassessment will supplement previous work, and is not intended to replace previous CERCLA assessments.

The Site Reassessment is designed to evaluate recent information that will help determine if the site qualifies for possible inclusion on the National Priorities List (NPL), or should receive a No Further Remedial Action Planned (NFRAP) designation. At the conclusion of the reassessment process Illinois EPA will recommend that the site be given a NFRAP designation, receive further Superfund investigations, or referred to another state or federal cleanup program.

The Saw-wee-kee Park site was initially placed on the Comprehensive Environmental Response, Compensation and Liability Information System (CERCLIS) database on July 20, 1992. The site was placed on CERCLIS due to past reports that drums containing waste were buried within the park. In 1993, Illinois EPA conducted a Preliminary Assessment and found that the site warranted additional investigation due to the risk to residential groundwater and surface water. In 1994, Illinois EPA conducted an Integrated Assessment which included the collection of soil, sediment, and groundwater samples. The Integrated Assessment documented the presence of three drums and limited soil contamination.

The Site Reassessment Report will describe current site conditions and illustrate how the site has changed since the last CERCLA investigation in 1994. This report will contain a summary of existing information that will include site history, current site conditions, evaluate past analytical data, and evaluate past remedial activities. The Site Reassessment will also support emergency response or time-critical removal activities if they are warranted.

## **Section 2.0 Site Description and History**

### **Section 2.1 Site Description**

The Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve is located two miles west of the Village of Oswego, Kendall County, Illinois near the intersection of Route 71 and Old Minkler Road. The forest preserve is situated within a predominantly rural area which occupies Sections 23, 26, and 27 within Township 37 North, Range East of the third principle meridian. Approximately 30 residential houses are located within ¼ mile from the forest preserve. Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve encompasses approximately 150 acres and borders the Fox River along the entire western boundary. Along the eastern boundary of the preserve is Yorkville Prairie and Barber-Greene Gun Club. Hide-a-way Lakes Campgrounds lies along the southwestern border of the site. Figures 1 through 3 provide a more detailed illustration of the location of the site.

Historical aerial photographs have depicted the forest preserve with several elongated depressions representative of gravel pits. Many of the depressions contain water and can be traced to the property prior to the 1940's. Scattered throughout Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve are many hiking and horse riding trails. There is a small boat launching facility located along the northern portion of the site. The preserve is elevated an estimated 10-15 feet above the surrounding Fox River.

On September 16, 2009, Illinois EPA conducted a site reconnaissance inspection at the Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve site. Since the last CERCLA inspection in 1994, the park contains many more hiking, biking, and horse trails. Areas that once contained illegally dumped material, including drums, have been remediated and are now vegetated. Scattered throughout the park are depressions within the topography that appear to be remnants of old gravel pits. Many of the depressions still contain ponded surface water. There were no signs of any drums or other types of illegally dumped material. Photographs taken during the September 16 visit are illustrated in Appendix C.

### **Section 2.2 Operational History**

According to Illinois EPA file information, the site was used for gravel mining from the 1860's until the 1940's by several different owners. On January 6, 1949, the State of Illinois acquired the property from the CB & Q Railroad (now Burlington Northern Railroad/Santa Fe Railroad). Once the property was acquired by the State of Illinois it was used as a municipal dump. During the time period from 1953 until 1959, the State of Illinois sold off approximately 18 acres, along the west-central portion of property, to be used for residential purposes. On August 27, 1963, the remaining acreage was deeded to the Oswegoland Park District for use as a public park. Oswegoland Park District is the current owner of Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve.

From the 1940's until at least 1966, the property was used as a municipal landfill. Surrounding communities utilized the excavated gravel pits for the dumping of their municipal waste. Illegally dumped material was noted to have occurred from 1966 until at least 1991. It has been reported that the northern portion of the property was mostly used for land filling and illegal dumping. In addition to the areas that were used as a municipal landfill, several area businesses were reported to have illegally disposed of drums within the old excavated gravel pits. Many of the drums were reported to have contained paint waste and other solvents.

### **Section 2.3 CERCLA Investigative History**

In 1993, Illinois EPA prepared a Preliminary Assessment for the Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve site. Due to the fact that there was a high potential for buried drums within the park to impact surrounding drinking water wells and surface water, the site was recommended to proceed through the CERCLA process.

In 1994, Illinois EPA conducted an Integrated Assessment for the subject property. The assessment consisted of the collection of fifteen (15) soil and sediment samples as well as five residential drinking water samples. During the investigation, several empty drums were documented on the surface throughout the park. Soil contamination, associated near those drums, were detected in several localized areas on the site but was not widespread. The results of the sediment samples collected from the Fox River indicated slightly elevated levels of heavy metals. No drinking water samples were found to contain any contaminants above Maximum Concentration Levels (MCL's). Based upon the fact that some drums were found and there was still a potential for contaminants to migrate into the Fox River and residential drinking water wells, the site was recommended to receive an expanded site inspection.

In 1995, following the completion of the Integrated Assessment, Illinois EPA contacted U.S. EPA Region 5's Removal Program about investigating the reports of buried drums. On June 5, 1995, U.S. EPA visited the site and determined that a removal action was not warranted at that time.

### **Section 3.0 Other Cleanup Authorities and Activities**

From 1982 until 1992 several remedial activities took place at Saw-wee-kee Park by private parties. In 1984 eighty-seven, 55-gallon drums were removed by Armour Dial who was identified as responsible for the disposal of those drums. In 1991 and 1992 Oswegoland Park District removed an additional eighty-five, 55-gallon drums from the forest preserve.

Following the CERCLA activities in 1993 and 1994, Illinois EPA's State Sites Unit began working with the Oswegoland Park District on a Phase I Investigation of the Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve. The Phase I investigation gathered information from area residents that reported that drums of paint waste were buried in the park. The investigation consisted of geophysical surveys (EM-61, magnetometers, and ground penetrating radar) that were looking for the presence of allegedly buried drums. The Phase I investigation also consisted of the installation and sampling of at least six monitoring wells. Residential groundwater samples were also included as part of the investigation. Several test pits were used to look for the presence of buried drums and other material.

At the conclusion of the Phase I Investigation, it was determined that area groundwater was not being impacted from buried material within the forest preserve. Also, there was no area found to contain large amounts of buried drums. The investigation did conclude that there were areas of debris, including several drums that were present at or near the surface. It was determined that remedial activities would be needed in order to address those concerns.

In April 1999, Illinois EPA entered into a consent decree with Oswegoland Park District for the remediation of Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve. The required activities set forth in the consent decree were to have the park district remove and dispose of all exposed large solid waste within the 150 acre park. The park district was also required to place two feet of compacted soil over previously identified landfill areas. In addition to those remedial activities, the Oswegoland Park District was required to pay a monetary fine. On January 28, 2004, Illinois EPA's State Sites Unit indicated that the park district has completed all technical and monetary conditions set forth in the consent decree. The Illinois EPA's State Sites Unit database indicates that the clean-up of Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve is "complete" and that no further actions are required. A copy of an Illinois EPA memo stating that the Oswegoland Park District has met all required activities can be found in Appendix E.

#### **Section 4.0 Summary and Conclusion**

On December 18, 1991 (amended April 6, 1995), a Superfund Memorandum of Agreement (SMOA) was signed between Illinois EPA and U.S. EPA Region 5. The SMOA states that if a site has been remediated or given a no-action determination under a state cleanup program, the site will not be expected to require further response actions. U.S. EPA Region 5 will not plan or anticipate any federal response action under Superfund law unless the site poses an imminent threat or emergency situation. A copy of the addendum to the SMOA can be found in Appendix D.



In 1999, Illinois EPA and the Oswegoland Park District entered into a consent decree that resulted in additional investigation and remediation of the Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve. In 2004, Illinois EPA designated that all conditions set forth in the consent decree have been met and the site have been listed as "complete."

Numerous investigations since the early 1980's have resulted in the removal of many drums throughout the forest preserve. Groundwater studies have not indicated that significant levels of contamination exist in residential drinking water due to past dumping activities at the site. Numerous investigations using geophysical instruments have not yielded large quantities of buried drums. Many test pits were used to find buried waste which also did not yield drummed material. All areas that were found to contain buried waste received at least two feet of compacted soil as its cover. The Oswegoland Park District is responsible for ensuring that the conditions set forth in the consent decree are maintained. The consent decree also designates that the site is to be maintained as a park.

The Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve site is subject to the provisions of the federal/state agreement set forth in the addendum to the SMOA. If the terms and conditions of the consent decree continue to be upheld by the Oswegoland Park District, the site does not pose a threat to human health and the environment.

## **Section 5.0 References**

Federal Register, Part II, Environmental Protection Agency, 40 CFR Part 300; December 14, 1990.

Illinois Environmental Protection Agency, Bureau of Land; File for Saw-Wee-Kee Forest Preserve, LPC# 0938070003.

Superfund Memorandum of Agreement, Between the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency and the United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5 in Implementing the Superfund Program in Illinois; December 18, 1991 with Addendum 1 added April 6, 1995.

Illinois Natural Resources Geospatial Clearinghouse, Illinois State Geological Survey, <http://www.isgs.uius.edu/nsdihome/>. Yorkville (1:24:000 USGS Digital Raster Graphic File); Assessed 2005.

## FIGURES

**Figure 1**  
**Site Location Map**

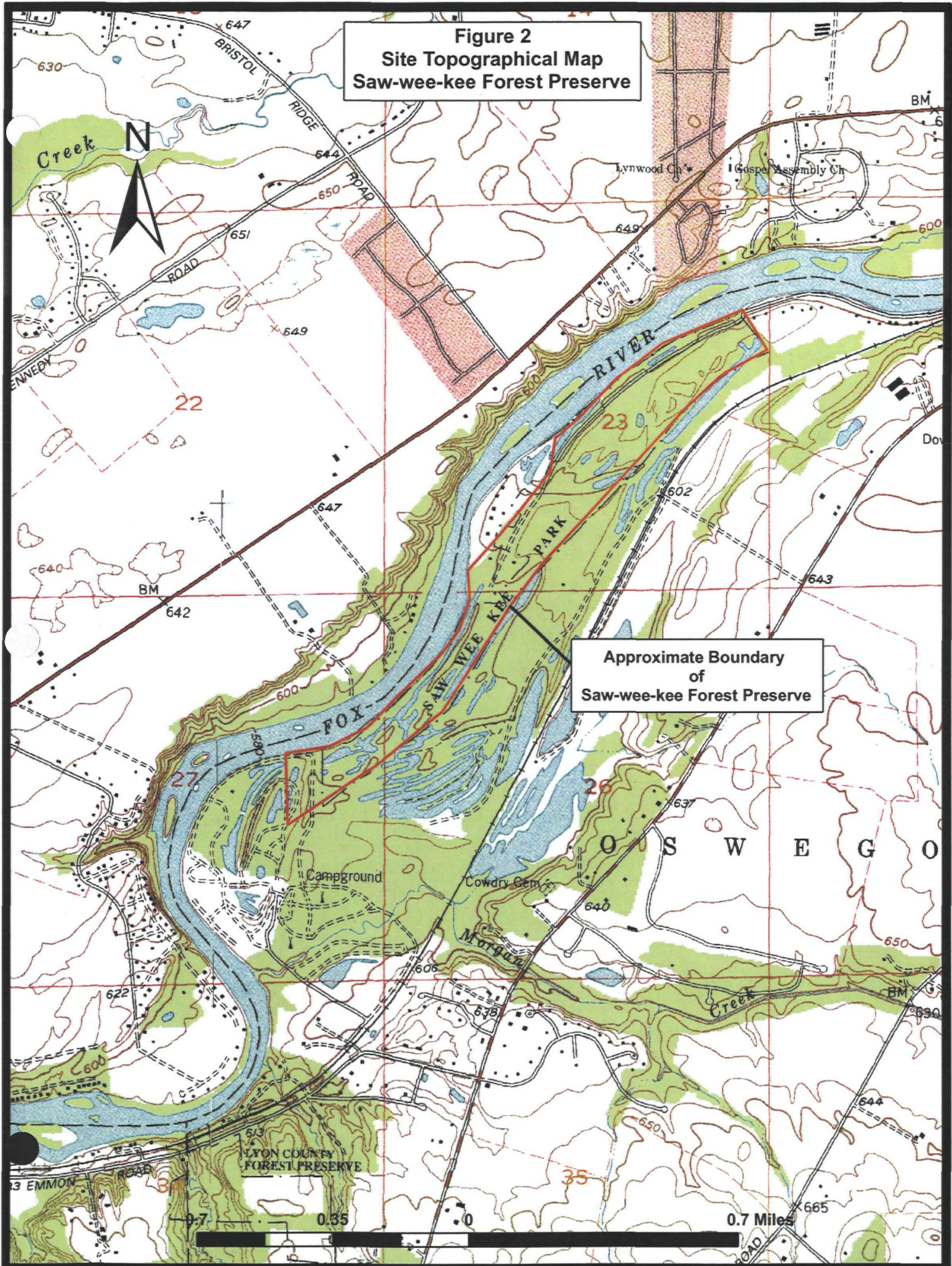


**Saw-Wee-Kee Forest Preserve**  
**Oswego, Illinois**  
**Kendall County**





**Figure 2**  
**Site Topographical Map**  
**Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve**



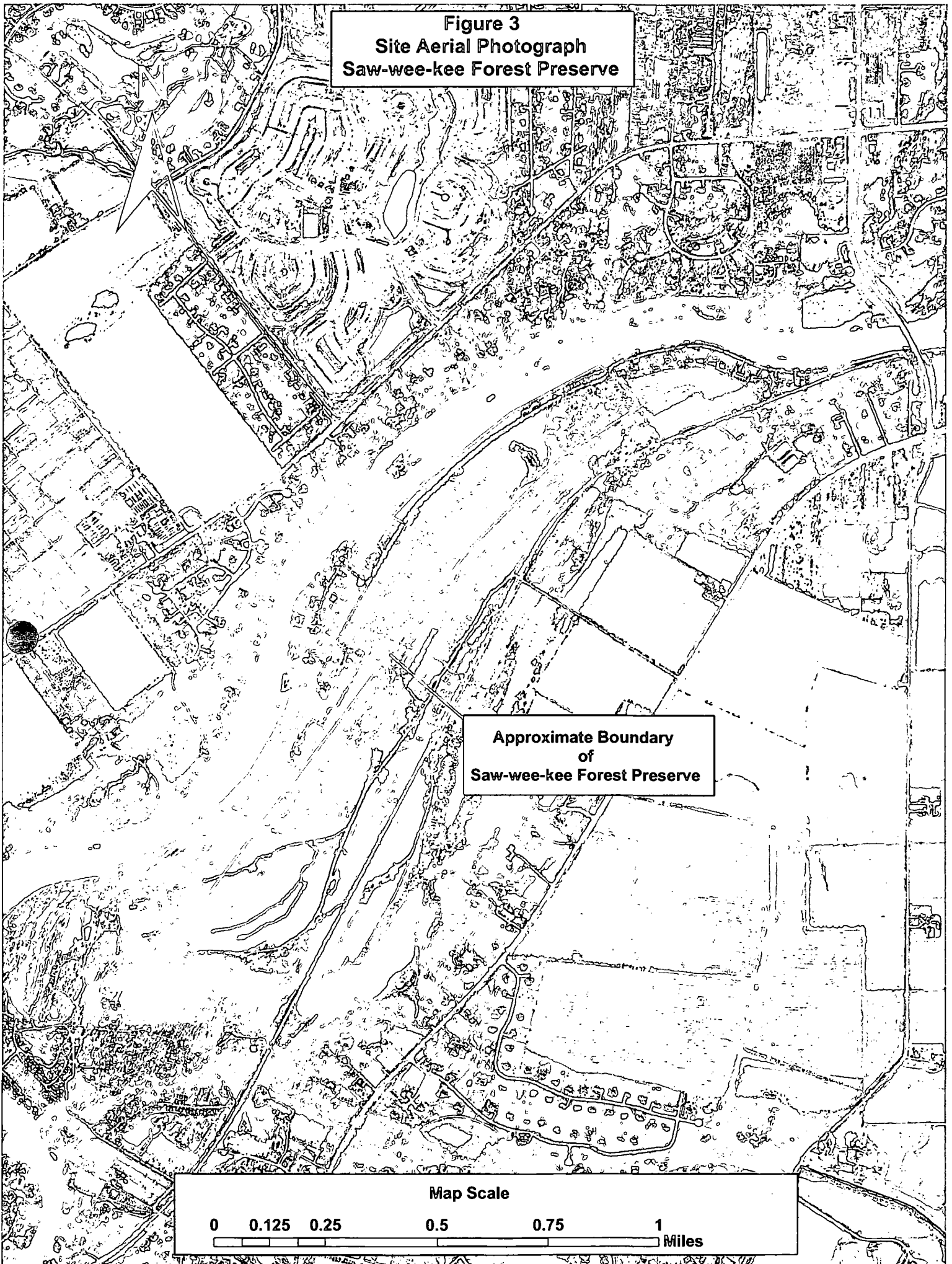


**Figure 3**  
**Site Aerial Photograph**  
**Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve**

**Approximate Boundary  
of  
Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve**

**Map Scale**

0 0.125 0.25 0.5 0.75 1 Miles



**APPENDIX A**  
**4-MILE RADIUS MAP**



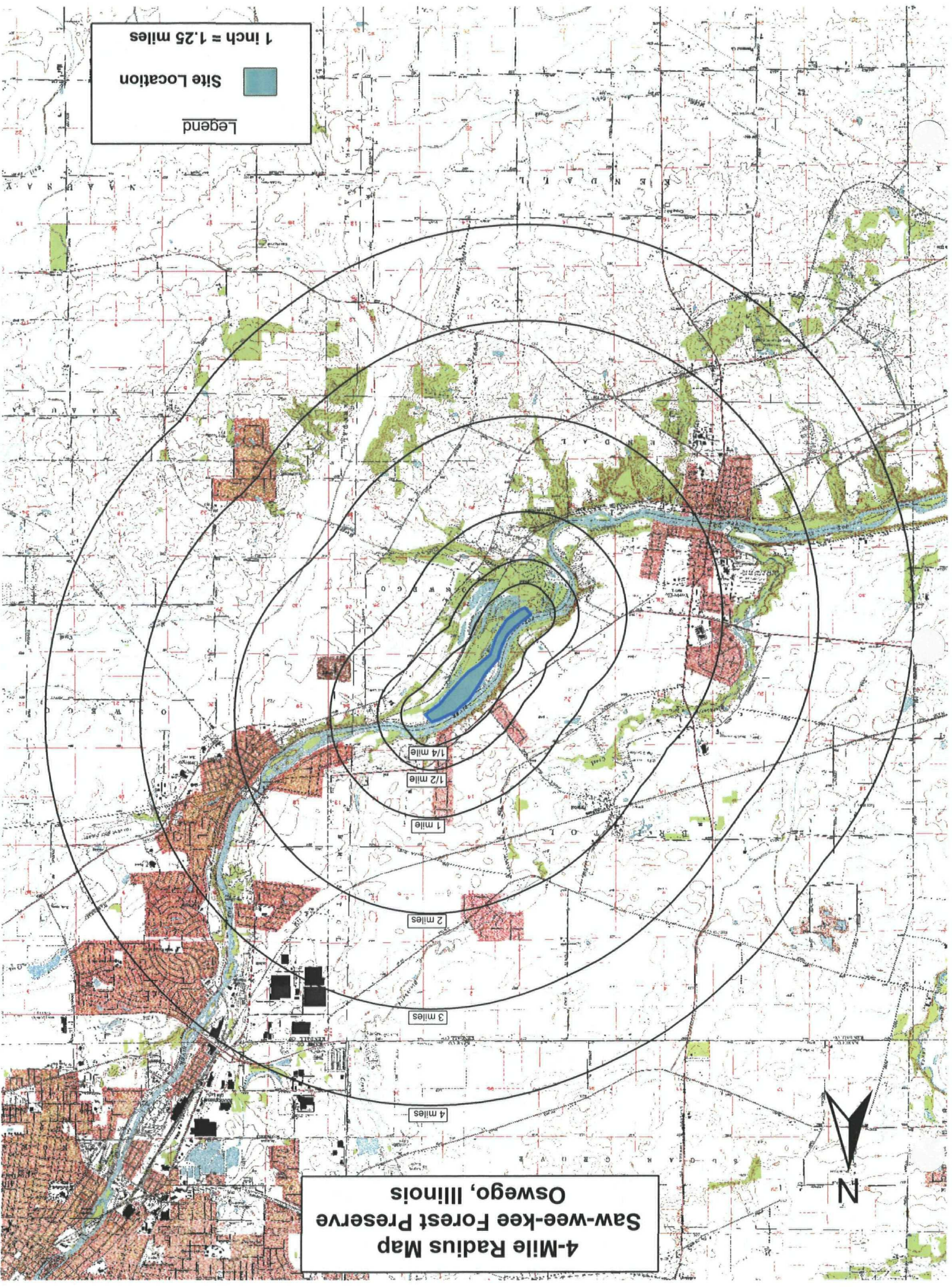
**4-Mile Radius Map  
Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve  
Oswego, Illinois**



**Legend**

Site Location

1 inch = 1.25 miles





**APPENDIX B**

**15-MILE SURFACE WATER ROUTE MAP**



**15-Mile Surface Water Map  
Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve  
Oswego, Illinois**

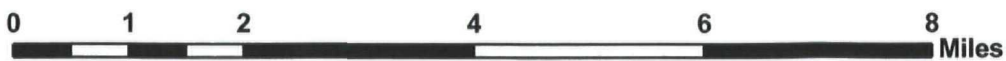


**Probable Point of Entry**

**Saw-wee-kee  
Forest  
Preserve**

**15-mile Target Distance Limit**

**Map Scale**





**APPENDIX C**  
**SITE PHOTOGRAPHS**

**SITE NAME:** Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve

**ID Number:** LPC 0938070003

**COUNTY:** Kendall

**DATE:** Sept.16, 2009

**TIME:** 0830

**PHOTO BY:**

Bruce Everetts

**DIRECTION:**

South

**COMMENTS:** Photo taken of open area within Saw-wee-kee Park.



**DATE:** Sept. 16, 2009

**TIME:** 0830

**PHOTO BY:**

Bruce Everetts

**DIRECTION:**

West

**COMMENTS:** Photo taken of open area within Saw-wee-kee Park.





**SITE NAME:** Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve

**ID Number:** LPC 0938070003

**COUNTY:** Kendall

**DATE:** Sept. 16, 2009

**TIME:** 0845

**PHOTO BY:**

Bruce Everetts

**DIRECTION:**

North

**COMMENTS:** Photo taken of typical walking path throughout Saw-wee-kee Park. **Note: the thick vegetation and undulating terrain.**



**DATE:** Sept. 16, 2009

**TIME:** 0850

**PHOTO BY:**

Bruce Everetts

**DIRECTION:**

Southeast

**COMMENTS:** Photo taken of sign depicting walking trail and horse trail within Saw-wee-kee Park.





**SITE NAME:** Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve

**ID Number:** LPC 0938070003

**COUNTY:** Kendall

**DATE:** Sept. 16, 2009

**TIME:** 0900

**PHOTO BY:**  
Bruce Everetts

**DIRECTION:**  
West

**COMMENTS:** Photo taken of Boat Launch at Saw-wee-kee Park.



**DATE:** Sept. 16, 2009

**TIME:** 0900

**PHOTO BY:**  
Bruce Everetts

**DIRECTION:**  
North

**COMMENTS:** Photo taken of monitoring well that was installed as part of a Phase I Investigation at Saw-wee-kee Park in the 1990's.





**SITE NAME:** Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve

**ID Number:** LPC 0938070003

**COUNTY:** Kendall

**DATE:** Sept. 16, 2009

**TIME:** 0915

**PHOTO BY:**

Bruce Everetts

**DIRECTION:**

North

**COMMENTS:** Photo taken of one of many depressions throughout Saw-wee-kee Park. The depressions are remnants of the property when it operated as a gravel pit.



**DATE:** Sept. 16, 2009

**TIME:** 0945

**PHOTO BY:**

Bruce Everetts

**DIRECTION:**

East

**COMMENTS:** Photo taken of sign marking the boundary that Saw-wee-kee Park shares with an adjacent gun club.



**APPENDIX D**  
**COPY OF**  
**SUPERFUND MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT**  
**(ADDENDUM 1)**

ADDENDUM NO. 1

SUPERFUND MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT  
BETWEEN THE  
ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY  
AND THE  
UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY, REGION V

I. BACKGROUND

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency ("IEPA") and the United States Environmental Protection Agency, Region V ("Region V") entered a Superfund Memorandum of Agreement (SMOA") effective December 18, 1991. Among other things, the SMOA established operating procedures for general Superfund program coordination and communication between IEPA and Region V.

II. BROWNFIELDS

In 1993 IEPA and Region V began developing strategies to promote the remediation and redevelopment of "Brownfield" sites. Both agencies recognize that a key factor to the Brownfields program in Illinois is for both agencies to exercise their authorities and use their resources in ways that are mutually complementary and are not duplicative. Two operational factors are important in this regard. First, the IEPA has successfully operated a voluntary cleanup since the late 1980s. This program, more formally known as the Pre-Notice Site Cleanup Program ("PNSCP"), provides guidance, assistance and oversight by IEPA to owners and operators of sites in Illinois who perform site assessment and remediation in accordance with the practices, and under the approval, of the IEPA. In addition IEPA has established a consistent cleanup objectives process across all its remediation programs (PWSCP, CERCLA, RCRA, and LUST) which is protective of human health and the environment. Second, USEPA has administered a national site assessment program to assess sites listed on the federal CERCLIS list. This assessment process identifies and prioritizes sites for remediation needs and also establishes a "no further remedial action planned" or NFRAP category of sites. As a result of the success of these two programs, IEPA and Region V have concluded that the principles and procedures set forth in this Addendum will meaningfully assist in the remediation and development of Brownfield sites.

III. PRINCIPLES

If a site in Illinois has been remediated or investigated under the practices and procedures of the Illinois PNSCP and IEPA has approved the remediation as complete or made a no-action determination upon review of an investigation, consistent with existing information the site will not be expected to require further response actions. Accordingly, Region 5 will not plan or anticipate any federal action under Superfund law unless, in exceptional circumstances, the site poses an imminent threat or emergency situation. Region 5 will also continue to work with Illinois to remove any concerns about federal activity under Superfund so as to encourage appropriate redevelopment.



This Principle does not apply to sites which have been listed on the National Priorities List or sites subject to an order or other enforcement action under Superfund law or sites imminently threatening public health or the environment. Future IEPA activities at the site will be based on the conditions of the remediation approval and whether any imminent threat subsequently arises.

#### IV. REPORTING

On an annual basis IEPA will report to Region V on the Following:

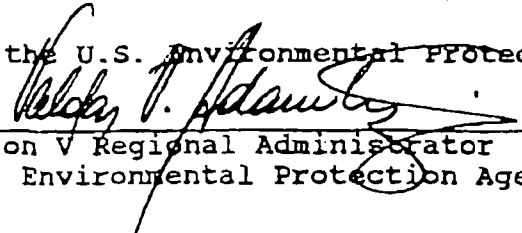
- 1) number of sites in the PNSCP;
- 2) sites entering the PNSCP the previous year;
- 3) sites having received approvals by IEPA of full or partial completions in the previous year;

For the Illinois Environmental Protection Agency



Director, Illinois Environmental Protection Agency

For the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region V

  
Region V Regional Administrator  
U.S. Environmental Protection Agency

Date

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## **Appendix E**

### **Illinois EPA Memo**

#### **Stating Consent Order Activities Are Complete**



## ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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ROD R. BLAGOJEVICH, GOVERNOR

RENEE CIPRIANO, DIRECTOR

### MEMO

**DATE:** January 28, 2004  
**TO:** Division File  
**FROM:** Anna Van Orden, BOL/FOS/Des Plaines  
**RE:** 0938070003 - Kendall County  
Oswego/Saw-Wee-Kee Park  
Compliance

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### Outstanding Violations

On January 28, 2004, a record review was conducted on above site for compliance. Saw-Wee-Kee Park entered the SSU Site remediation 1999 and completed all required activities as agreed to in the April 1999 Consent Order as documented in the attached letters. The Owegoland Park District placed a cap across the landfill and removed debris across the site. The site also paid in full on June 1, 1999, a penalty of \$5,000.00 to IEPA.

FOS recommends all outstanding violations 21(a), 21(d)(1), 21(e), 21(p)(1), and 21(p)(6) of the Illinois Environmental Protection Act be resolved.

cc: Des Plaines  
Deanne Virgin, Compliance

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August 14, 2003

Mary Lou England  
Executive Director  
Kane County Health Department  
Public Health Center  
1330 N. Highland Avenue  
Aurora, IL 60506

Re: 0938070003- Kendall County  
Oswego/Saw-Wee-Kee Park  
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Dear Ms. England:

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Illinois EPA) has been working on the Saw-Wee-Kee Park-site for many years. The purpose of this letter is to inform you of the status of the site and any outstanding issues that may remain. The State of Illinois entered into a Consent Order with the Oswegoland Park District to place a cap across the landfill and remove debris across the site. The Oswegoland Park District has completed all of the technical terms of the Consent Order.

The Illinois EPA has conducted a series of investigations at this site. These investigations have consisted of test pits, groundwater monitoring well installation, private well sampling and groundwater monitoring well sampling. Private well sampling, of residents in the vicinity of the park, was conducted in the summer of 2000. The residents requested in writing that their private well be sampled. The Illinois EPA worked in conjunction with the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) to notify residents of any concerns.

The Illinois EPA investigated subsurface soils, in 2000, to verify or deny the presence of buried drums, which were alleged to have been disposed of at the site. During the investigation, the Illinois EPA did not find any evidence of a large quantity of buried drums.

The Illinois EPA conducted groundwater-monitoring quarterly for a period of one year. The sampling took place in May 2000, August 2000, December 2000 and March 2001. The groundwater from these wells was analyzed for Volatile Organic Compounds, Semi-Volatile

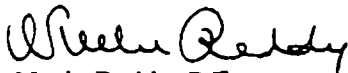
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Compounds, Pesticides/Herbicides, PolyChlorinated Biphenyls and metals. The groundwater monitoring wells are located in the park and along the river. A map is enclosed which shows the location of these groundwater-monitoring wells. The analytical data indicates manganese, nickel and boron were detected in exceedance of their respective 35 Illinois Administrative Code Part 620 Class I Groundwater Standards in at least one of the four quarters sampled. The raw analytical data and a summary spreadsheet for each quarter and each well are attached. As you can see, none of the constituents were in exceedance of their applicable groundwater standard in the fourth quarter of sampling. At this time, the Illinois EPA has not made any decisions regarding any future actions.

Please feel free to contact me at above telephone number or address, if you have any questions.

Sincerely,



Neelu Reddy, P.E.  
State Sites Unit, Manager  
Remedial Project Management Section  
Division of Remediation Management  
Bureau of Land

NVR:nvr

cc: President Craig Weber, Village of Oswego, 113 Main Street, Oswego, Illinois 60543

Fred Carlson, Director of Environmental Health, Kane County Health Department, Public Health Center, 1330 N. Highland Avenue, Aurora, IL 60506 (w/o attachments)



ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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RENEE CIPRIANO, DIRECTOR

**MEMORANDUM**

Date: May 28, 2002

To: Division File

From: Neelu Reddy/RPMS/SSU *NR*

Re: 0938070003 - Kendall County  
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It is the opinion of the author that the Oswegoland Park District has completed all the terms of Section VIII(C)(3) of the April 1999 Consent Order.

The Illinois EPA completed review of the "Land Remedial Action Completion Report" (Log No. 02-0175) dated January 15, 2002, submitted by Weaver Boos and Gordon, Inc. The Illinois EPA approved of the report in a May 24, 2002 letter. The Land Remedial Action Completion Report was submitted in accordance with Section VIII(C)(3) of the April 1999 Consent Order entered into by the Oswegoland Park District.

GEORGE H. RYAN, GOVERNOR



ILLINOIS ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY

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Dear Mr. Gray:

The Illinois Environmental Protection Agency (Illinois EPA) has completed review of the "Land Remedial Action Completion Report" (Log No. 02-0175) dated January 15, 2002, submitted by Weaver Boos and Gordon, Inc. The Illinois EPA approves of the report, that was submitted in accordance with Section VIII(C)(3) of the April 1999 Consent Order entered into by the Oswegoland Park District.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at the above telephone number.

Sincerely,

*Neelu Reddy*

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## Compliance Order Tracking

98-CH-59                      Site: 0938070003      Oswegoland Park District  
7715 Sundown Lane  
Oswego, IL 60543

Order 5/5/1999

Condition	Page	Completion Due Date	Stipulated Penalty	Compliance Achieved
1 VIII.C.3.a. All site work shall be performed by personnel selected and approved in accordance with the requirements in attachment A.	6		No	
2 VIII.C.3.b. Submit a Remedial Action Plan to IEPA for approval, consistent with the requirements set forth in attachment B.	6	8/3/1999	No	
3 VIII.C.3.c. The RAP shall include the Land Remedial Actions in set forth in attachment C.	6	8/3/1999	No	
4 VIII.C.3.d. Submit a Site Safety Plan which consists of a stand alone document and is submitted along with the RAP, to IEPA.	6	8/3/1999	No	
5 VIII.C.3.e. Complete all activities set forth in the approved RAP, including any IEPA imposed conditions.	6		No	
6 VIII.C.3.f. Submit a Land Remedial Action Completion Report consistent with the requirements in attachment D, to IEPA for approval.	7	1/15/2002	No	1/16/2002
7 VIII.C.3.g. All activities required by this Order shall be completed in accordance with the schedule set forth in attachment E.	7	1/15/2002	No	1/16/2002
8 VIII.C.4. Pay penalty of \$5,000.00 to IEPA within 30 days of Order.	7/8	6/4/1999	No	6/1/1999 <i>Partial</i>
9 VIII.C.5. Refrain from future violations of the Act, Board regulations and Illinois Dept. of Public Health regulations.	8		No	

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Mr. Ribordy:

Please find enclosed copies of Site Reassessment Report and QUICKSCORE worksheets for the following sites that were scheduled for Fiscal 2009 completion.

SITE NAME	ILD NUMBER	COUNTY	RECOMMENDATION
Saw-wee-kee Forest Preserve	984839159	Kendall	NFA
USX Vessel Slips	000508209	Cook	NFA
Woodstock Die Cast	005471503	McHenry	NFA
Precision National	047731112	Jefferson	NFA
Bartlett Manufacturing	097278792	McHenry	NFA
Bemis Corporation	006215727	Peoria	NFA

We are pleased to provide you with the attached reports. Should you have any questions or comments concerning this submission please feel free to contact me, or the author of the individual reports.

Sincerely,

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